



Samuel Wayne Tibbs

October 7, 1946 - April 4, 2015

Samuel Wayne Tibbs, age 68, of McCalla, passed away on Saturday, April 4, 2015. Mr. Tibbs was retired from the Jefferson County Sheriff's Department with 39 years of service. After his retirement, he had most recently worked for Kid One Transport. Mr. Tibbs served his country on The USS Enterprise during the Vietnam War. He was preceded in death by his parents, Samuel Augustus and Ruby Pearl Tibbs.

Mr. Tibbs is survived by his wife, Lou Ann Tibbs of 42 years; his daughters, Kari Tibbs and Lynsey Tibbs; his sister, Frieda Finley (Scott); his in-laws, Donald and Betty Blackburn; sister-in-laws, Cynthia Elmore (Mitch), Karen Emerich (David) and Cheryl Joynt (Mitch); nieces and nephews, Christopher Finley (Melissa), Patrick Finley, Alisa Anderson (Luke), Christopher Emerich, Katie Martin (Caleb), Tyler Joynt (Jody) and Jonathan Elmore (Katie).

The family will receive friends on Thursday, April 9, 2015 from 5:00 to 8:00 PM at Hunter Street Baptist Chapel. Funeral service will be Friday, April 10, 2015 at 11:00 AM with burial to follow at the Alabama National Cemetery in Montevallo, AL.

In lieu of flowers please consider making a donation to Grace's Kitchen (graceskitchen.org) or Kid One Transport (kidone.org).

Cemetery Details

Alabama National Cemetery

3133 Alabama 119
Montevallo, AL 35115

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **9**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

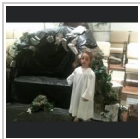
Hunter Street Baptist Church
2600 Hawkins Parkway
Birmingham, AL 35244

Service

APR **10**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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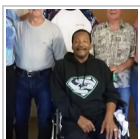
Tribute Wall



“ *Frieda Finley lit a candle in memory of Samuel Wayne Tibbs*



Frieda Finley - April 25, 2015 at 08:42 PM



“ *Paul DeLaney lit a candle in memory of Samuel Wayne Tibbs*



Paul DeLaney - April 09, 2015 at 07:07 AM



Fair winds and following seas. VA-145 AMH-2

Paul DeLaney - April 09, 2015 at 07:10 AM

DM

“ *Diane K. Martineau purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Samuel Wayne Tibbs.*



Diane K. Martineau - April 08, 2015 at 02:51 PM

BK

“ *Fair Winds and following seas shipmate. We will all meet again. Thank you for your many years of service and as a public servant. Bob Kater ADJ-3 VA-145 USS Enterprise 1969.*

Bob Kater - April 08, 2015 at 01:31 PM

MN

“ *Lou Ann & Family,*

Please accept our profound condolences for your loss. You remain in our prayers.

Wayne epitomized honor and service his entire life, having served his country in the US Navy and his community with the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office. Wayne was a fine human being, his infectious good humor always lighting up his surroundings.

Please take comfort in the knowledge that Wayne is at peace, wrapped in the love of of God.

Mike & Debbie Neville - April 08, 2015 at 11:29 AM

 Holly Roberts

“ *Wayne will be MISSED by all who knew him. I think about the van route he was telling me about last year, so those guys will really miss him. I know he was a good provider, for his wife, and girls. He gave them lots of memories. Praying for his family!*

Holly and Heath Roberts

Holly Roberts - April 07, 2015 at 05:04 PM